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In re Patent Application of:  
Ed V. Breen

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For: NEW COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS  
FOR MAINTAINING EYELID HYGIENE

Examiner: N. M. Westerberg

**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

MS Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Madam:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated August 12, 2008, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows. Applicant hereby requests a three month extension of time to respond to the Office Action up to and including January 21, 2009.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.